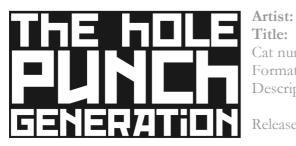
## PRESS RELEASE

## Audiobulb Records Release



The Hole Punch Generation

Title: Conversations

Cat number: AB033

Format: CD Single & Digital Download

Description: A thick emotional stew of electronic and shoegaze

elements.

Release date: November 27<sup>th</sup> 2010

## The Artist

The Hole Punch Generation are Patrick Balthrop (Vocals, Guitar, Synth), Caleb Epps (Bass, Synth, Live Video), and Adam Sturtevant (Drums). The group has been together for five years having formed in Boston, USA. The Hole Punch Generation meticulously craft around a refined focus – emotional words set to music. One strict rule they adhere to: If they can't do it live, they don't do it in the studio.

## The Single

Conversations is the first single to be taken from the self titled The Hole Punch Generation album due out on Audiobulb Records in spring 2011. A heartfelt rendition of the futility of connection and communication in the context of a failing relationship.

All these one-way conversations.
Blaming you.
Blaming you for leaving.
You don't wanna know.

The single features a blistering electronic rework by Making The Noise whose remix brings elements of chillout, techno and house to the track. Together the two versions demonstrate a balanced outlook on the difficulty of endings and the hope fuelled optimism of a new start.

